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| **Project Overview** | | | |
| **Problem Statement**:  Research has shown that there is a 25% improvement in 5 year survival if patients are discharged on both antiplatelet and statin medications. The outcome measurement for Hospital X regarding antiplatelet and statin medications at discharge is currently 73.8%, our region 89% and overall VQI 90%. | | | |
| **Goal**:  The goal for Hospital X is to increase antiplatelet and statin medications prescribed at discharge to 90% by the end of Q4 2018. | | | |
| **Scope**:  This project will include all vascular surgery and interventional radiology patients that have had a vascular procedure captured within the VQI registry calendar year 2018. | | | |
| **Deliverable(s)**:  Implementation of process with pharmacy to contact provider at time of discharge medication reconciliation if antiplatelet and statin medication not prescribed.  Education to providers on importance of antiplatelet and statin medication for vascular patient’s long term survival.  Education to providers to provide documentation if medication is contraindicated. | | | |
| **Resources Required**: There is no IT support available until mid 2019. Hospital X will utilize the vascular surgery providers, pharmacy and nursing staff on \_\_\_ to successfully accomplish the goal. | | | |
| **Key Metrics** | **Milestones** | | |
| **Outcome Metrics:** | **Milestone / Description:**  Identify our baseline data and share at vascular faculty meeting    Implement pharmacy communication process  Evaluate progress and confirm action plan monthly | | **Date (mm/yy):**  08/20/2018  08/20/2018  09/17/2018- 12/31/2018 |
| **Process Metrics:**  The percentage of patients with antiplatelet and statin medication prescribed at discharge will be 90%. |
| **Team Members** | | | |
| **Exec Sponsor:** | | **Clinical Sponsor**: | |
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